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P R 210001Z MAY 77
FM AMEMBASSY MAPUTO
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 5882
INFO USMISSION USUN NEW YORK
AMEMBASSY LUSAKA
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C O N F I D E N T I A L MAPUTO 0665

FROM USDEL

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR
SUBJECT: CONVERSATION RE NAMIBIA

REF: (A) MAPUTO 0666, (B) USUN 1375, (C) STATE 107483

1. AMBASSADOR YOUNG AND DEPTY.UND.SEC. MOOSE TOOK ADVANTAGE
OF LUNCH BY NIGERIAN UNREP HARRIMAN ON MAY 19 FOR ROBERT
MUGABE AND YOUNG TO BRIEF HARRIMAN ON CONTACT GROUP MEETING
WITH SAG. BRIEFING FOLLOWING EXACTLY AND IN DETAIL POINTS
OUTLINED REFS (B) AND (C).

2. AT OUTSET OF DISCUSSION HARRIMAN NOTED THAT HE HAD RECEIVED
A MESSAGE FROM LAGOS ON THIS SUBJECT BUT HE SEEMED VAGUE.
AFTER LISTENING TO BRIEFING HE MADE FOLLOWING POINTS:
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(A) IT IS DOUBTFUL IF SWAPO WILL ACCEPT A SITUATION IN WHICH
IT HAS NO POLITICAL ROLE BEFORE THE ELECTION. PROVISIONS
FOR AN INTERIM ADMINISTRATIVE AUTHORITY MUST BE CLARIFIED.

(B) SWAPO WILL INSIST ON RELEASE OF ALL PRISONERS NOW HELD
BY SAG. SWAPO WOULD BE REGARDED AS TRAITORS TO OWN CAUSE

IF THEY DID NOT. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION ABOUT RELEASE
OF SWAPO DETAINEES IN TANZANIA AND ZAMBIA, HARRIMAN SAID
THEY DEFINITELY MUST BE RELEASED. "THIS IS A SINE QUA NON,"
HE SAID.

(C) SAG TROOPS SHOULD BE REPLACED BY UN FORCES.

(D) PROPOSAL FOR UNREP TO SUPERVISE ELECTION SOUNDS GOOD
BUT WHAT ROLE FOR THE COUNCIL FOR NAMIBIA?

3. IN CLOSING YOUNG MADE STRONG PITCH FOR HARRIMAN'S ASSIST-
ANCE IN KEEPING NUJOMA IN TOUCH WITH CONTACT GROUP.
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